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In re the application of:

H. Joiner

Application No. 10/029,686

Filed: 12/21/2001

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Sir:

Applicant hereby requests status of the Petition to Make Special that was filed in the above-referenced patent application. This Petition was filed on May 28, 2003, and no official decision has been received as of this date. A copy of the Petition and the return receipt postcard are attached.

Respectfully submitted  
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PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL  
37 C.F.R. 1.102 and MPEP § 708.02(II)

Sir:

I hereby petition for Advancement of Examination of the above referenced application under 37 C.F.R. 1.102 and MPEP 708.02(II).

As the undersigned practitioner, being duly registered to practice before the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, I make the following statements in support of this petition.

I am informed, believe and allege thereon that an infringing device or product is actually on the market and/or an infringing method is actually in use (MPEP 708.02(II)(A)).

I have made a rigid comparison of the alleged infringing device, product or method with the claims of the application, and in my opinion some of the claims are unquestionably infringed (MPEP 708.02(II)(B)).

I have made or caused to be made a careful and thorough search of the prior art (MPEP 708.02(II)(C)).

Uncovered references were submitted previously in an information disclosure statement (IDS).

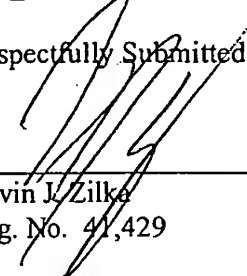
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Attached is a check in the amount of \$130 for the Petition fee. However, if it is determined that any additional fee is due the Office is authorized to charge the amount or credit any overpayment to deposit account 50-1351 (Order No. NAI1P065\_01.307.01).

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